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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.	
First Inventor	Moffatt
Title	Method and Apparatus for Playing Recordings of Spoken Alphanumeric
Express Mail Label No.	EL 768 581 033 US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Specification [Total Pages 21]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
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 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
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- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 2]
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- ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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- ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
- ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
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1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal
2. Fee Transmittal for FY 2002
3. Declaration w/Specification (21 pages), Abstract
and Drawings (2 Sheets)
4. Assignment Cover Sheet w/Assignment
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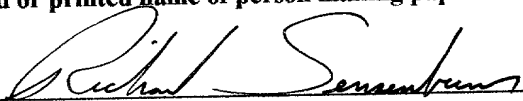
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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Application Number

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Group Art Unit

Attorney Docket No.

476-2071

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\$834.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT

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Under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status
See 37 CFR § 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

- ☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money
Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description

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101 740 201 370 Utility filing fee 740.00

106 330 206 165 Design filing fee

107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee

108 740 208 370 Reissue filing fee

114 160 214 80 Provisional filing fee

SUBTOTAL (1) \$740.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra Claims

Fee from
below

Fee Paid

Total Claims 23 -20** = 3 X 18.00 = 54.00

Independent Claims 3 -3** = 0 X 0.00 = 0.00

Multiple Dependent Claims =

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103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20

102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3

104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid

109 84 209 42 ** Reissue independent claims

over original patent

110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20

and over original patent

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Small Entity

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105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath

127 50 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover

sheet

139 130 139 130 Non - English specification

147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination

112 920* 112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner

action

113 1,840* 113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner

action

115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month

116 400 216 200 Extension for reply within second month

117 920 217 460 Extension for reply within third month

118 1,440 218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month

128 1,960 228 980 Extension for reply within fifth month

119 320 219 160 Notice of Appeal

120 320 220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal

121 280 221 140 Request for oral hearing

138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding

140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable

141 1,280 241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional

142 1,280 242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)

143 460 243 230 Design issue fee

144 620 244 310 Plant issue fee

122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner

123 50 123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(q)

126 180 126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure

Statement

581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property

(times number of properties) 40.00

146 740 246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection

(37 CFR § 1.129(a))

149 740 249 370 For each additional invention to be examined

(37 CFR § 1.129(b))

179 740 279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)

169 900 169 900 Request for expedited examination

of a design application

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